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In re Patent Application of: Kazuya Fujita, et al.

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For: SOLID STATE IMAGING DEVICE, SEMICONDUCTOR WAFER, OPTICAL  
DEVICE MODULE, METHOD OF SOLID STATE IMAGING DEVICE  
FABRICATION, AND METHOD OF OPTICAL DEVICE MODULE  
FABRICATION

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Sir:

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

This is a response to the Office action mailed December 13, 2005. Applicants submit herewith a petition for a one-month extension, and pay for it by authorization to charge Deposit Account No. 04-1105, bringing the response period to April 13, 2006. Applicants believe that no other fees or extensions are required. However, if for any reason the authorized fee is inadequate, the Office is conditionally authorized to charge further Deposit Account No. **04-1105**. Also, the Office should consider this a conditional petition for the proper extension period needed to have this response entered and considered, if the one-month extension is inadequate for any reason.

Please amend the application as follows:

- Amendment to the Claims are reflected in the marked claims beginning on page 2.
- Remarks are on page 9.
- A Conclusion is on page 11.